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> The following quantities of food products are presently distributed as individual ration cards: (in grams)

	Commodity		Catego	ries			Remarks	
		A	B	C	Dl	D2	E	Control of the second second second
	Bread	1,000	500	350	250	250	250	Dail v
	Meat	1,000	750	500	500	500	Manage &	leoll y
	Oil	1,000	750	500	400	400	Marten	Monthly
	Sugar	1,500	1,000	750	500	1,000(sic)-	Monraly
	Farinaceous Foods	1,500	1,000	1,000	500	500	S/R-more: a	Quarterly
	Laundry Soap	750	750	500	250	250	TAP COLUMN	Qualterly
	Semolina	Statute	elitary, aim	(Without the	Annalus Nove	500	ELECTIVE S	Quarterly
	Flour	1,000	750	500	500	500	Observan Cases	Twice vearly

- 2. The following categories of ration cards are issued:
 - Category A, for miners;
 - Category B, For those engaged in heavy labor;
 - Category C, for state functionaries and ordinary salaried employees;

 - Category D1, for members of families and pensioners; Category D2, for persons not employed.

did not identify category E.

- 3. Bread is distributed regularly. A type of gray or so-called black bread is available at 120-140 lei per kilogram. The official price of bread is fourteen lei per kilogram.
- 4. Meat is distributed very infrequently. Although distribution is suppose to be made once a week, it has been unavailable for as long as three months. The price of meat is as follows: (in lei per kilogram)

	Ullicial	Black Marke
Beef	70	180-220
Poultry	10 C	150-180
Pork	120	240-260

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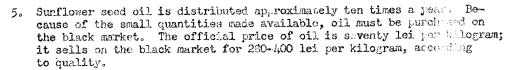
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- 6. Sugar, which can be purchased with some care, is distributed requiarly. The official price is fifty-six lei a kilogram with ration care; the price on the free market in the state stores is 200 lei per kilogram.
- 7. Farinaceous foods such as macaroni and spaghetti are very difficult to purchase on the black market. Although the official price is 70 lei per kilogram, these products will bring 300 lei per kilogram or the black market.
- 8. The quantity of poor-quality laundry soap distributed quarterly is actually sufficient for one week. The official price is 120 led per kilogram; the black market price is 220-280 lei per kilogram
- 9. Semolina is distributed only to children under twelve years of again At the present time it brings 240 lei per kilogram on the black market; the official price is forty lei per kilogram.
- 10. Flour is distributed twice a year, at Easter and Christmas. The official price is 20 lei per kilogram; on the black market it brings 90-160 lei per kilogram, according to quality.
- 11. The following prices are presently charged by the state food stones: (In lei per kilogram unless otherwise noted)

		·
a.	Marmalade	120-180 lei
þ.	Sauerkraut	320-700 lei
C.	Cheese	300-950 lei
d.	Futter	420-lei; price on the black market is 700-600 lei.
e,	Fish	110-350 lei
$\mathbf{f}_{\mathfrak{o}}$	Rice	280 lei
g.	Cherries	290 lei
h.	Strawberries	250 lei
i.	Oni.ons	6 lei for eight
j.	Folatces, new	45 lei
k.	Iotatoes, old	20 lei
1.	Tomatoes	450 lei
m.	Asparagus	180 lei
n.	Spinach	20 lei.
0.	Green peas	20 lei
p.	Coffee	4,800-6,000 lei
q.	Tea.	7,000 lei
x. °	Cocoa	4,000-5,000 lei

